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Attached for filing is the patent application of:

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Entitled: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MANAGING PROCESSOR CONFIGURATION DATA

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- ☒ Newly executed Declaration, ☐ Copy of Declaration from prior application, ☒ Abstract  
☐ Please **delete** the following inventors in the continuation/division/continuation-in-part application:

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127 pages of specification and claims (including 30 numbered claims), and

64 sheets of accompanying drawing/s.

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☒ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on the following foreign applications:

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, respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application..

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